Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

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insomina, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

One night last week burglars entered the butcher shop of John M. Murdock, Pictou, and carried off about 100 pounds of corned beef; 50 pounds of mutton; 30 pounds lamb; 5 tongues; 40 pounds ham; 8 or 10 pounds pork, and some roasts of beef. They also carried off a lamp, a basket and a knife.

The Montreal Star reports that the local market for cheese, although not characterized by any decided increase in activity, rules very firm, as all authorities seem to agree that remaining stocks will rapidly find their way into consumptive channels during the next four months. A well known operator has recently pointed out that the English demad for States and Canadian cheese is figured at 65,000 boxes weekly —that is, when fine and finest cheese can be bought at 5d to 6d per pound, or at quotations which the retailers are now selling at throughout Great Britain. The general view of the situation, therefore is decidely a bright one.

The Halifax Chronicle says.—There was cast at the Londonderry Iron Works on Friday a water pipe which the company claim is the largest pipe of the kind ever manufactured in Canada. The pipe is forty-two inches in diameter, made of Nova Scotia iron, and weighs nearly three tons. It was ordered for a culvert on the P. E. I. Railway and will be placed in position in a few weeks. The culvert is situated on the new track being laid at Wiltshire. The largest water pipe heretofore cast was thirty-six inches in diameter, and the casting of this monster 42-inch pipe was watched with some anxiety, but the process was very successful. This class of water pipe is now being largely used in the construction of railway culverts.

C. W. Oliver, of Butte, Montana who has been granted a new trial on the charge of stealing, has been notified of his falling heir to $150,000, by the death of his uncle in Bridgeport, Conn.

Writers in United States magazines, who take Canada for a subject, appear to have their eye constantly on their United States audience, not on the subject they profess to be discussing. Hence they say what they think will please that audience, without any prime regard to the facts. Hence we have such nonsense as the following, over the name of Charles Aubrey Eaton, in the January number of the National Review of Boston: "Others have talked of annexation to the republic as a fitting national destiny. And it must be admitted that they had many and good reasons for the hope that was within them. The spirit of this continent is one. No artificial barriers, political or commercial, can change that fact. An English visitor has recently complained that Canadians are more like Americans than like the English. But what would the gentleman have? Canada is an American country and if she is to contribute aught of value to the world she must take herself for better or for worse. An English Canadian would be as absurd as an American Englishman. Not only are the spirit and genius of this country one, but its problems are one, its view point and destiny one. The Supreme Ruler has seen fit to place us here side by side and here we must remain. The whole trend naturally would be towards annexation or at least closer relations between the two countries. Commerce finds its natural channels north and south. Canadians go to the States for enlarged opportunity. Americans come here for investments and pleasure. If nature had been allowed to do her perfect work the matter would have been settled long ago." It is high time that this talk about the same continent were dismissed, as chestnutty. The notion that Canadians have no individuality of their own because they live on the same continent as some other people, is the stock in trade of annexationists and continent-to-which-we belong faddists. It is rather the agglomeration of the sweepings of the earth to the south of us that lack national character. —Halifax Herald.

The Signs of the Times

It is believed by those who ought to know that Canada is now at the beginning of an era of great prosperity. We hope this prediction will be specially true of our own Island and to every Islander at home and abroad we wish a happy and prosperous 1898.

There is only one "Leading Fur Store" on Prince Edward Island, and

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Dozens of elegant New Garments at less than half price. Do you want them? Then you must Hurry, HURRY, HURRY.

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The Popular Store.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Big sale for 12 days. Big discounts of all winter goods. See our advt. in this week's. W. A. Weeks & Co.—2i Ja 12

The thermometer registered fifteen degrees below zero in this City on Monday night last.

It is semi-officially announced that there will be a big cut in the estimates of the Dominion Government for the next year.

The Dominion Government have decided on the fixed royalty of ten per cent, applicable to all mines in the Yukon district.

The Dominion Government will ask Parliament to vote $10,000 for the relief of the Prescott and Russel fire sufferers.

Frances Anna Maria, Dowager Countess Russell, widow of the celebrated Lord John Russel, died the other day.

The Stanley did nor return from Pictou on Monday, on account of snow. She came over yesterday forenoon and the mails reached here about 1.30 p. m.

Adolphus L. Mitchell, engineer in the Intercolonial shops at Moncton, was attacked with a rush of blood to the head, on Thursday last, and died soon after.

James Hamilton, while felling trees in the woods on his farm at Carp, Ontario, on Thursday last, was struck by a falling limb and instantly killed.

London advices of the 15th say: Roses are blooming and hundreds of butterflies have been seen. In this mildness influonza is spreading more rapidly than since 1895, and with an alarming death rate.

25 per cent. off Dress Goods, 25 per cent. off silks and satins, 50 per cent. off Ladies Jackets and millinery, 25 per cent. all furs. All winter goods. Big sale for 12 days at Weeks & Co. jan 12 2i

The writ has been issued lor the election to the House of Commons for Quebec Centre to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Mr. Francois Langelier to the Bench. Nomination on the 24th inst.

Miss May Howe, twenty years of age, died at St. John, N. B., the other day from blood poisoning, resulting from the scratch of a pet cat on a cold sore on her lip.

The old St. Dunstan's Cathedral was sold at auction on Friday last, for $230. Mr. Angus DesRoches was the purchaser. It has to be removed by the 1st of May next.

A number of ward-maids in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, have gone on strike. The trouble was brought about by what they term the tyrannical treatment of the Lady Superintendant.

The Right Hon. Charles Pelham Villiers M. P., for South Wolverhampton, known as the "Father of the House of Commons," having sat in the House continuously since 1835, died on Sunday evening last.

Judge Jette of Montreal becomes Lieutenant Governor of Quebec, and Francois Langelier, M. P., is appointed Judge in his place. It will thus be seen that Langelier's kicking has not been in vain.

The steamer City of Seattle left Victoria, B. C., on Thursday last, for Alaskan ports, having on board over six hundred passengers. The rush to the Klondyke has fairly begun, and in a few weeks a steamer will be leaving there every day with that many men.

About midnight on Thursday last, as the mail special was entering Georgetown, the forward trucks of the baggage car left the track, breaking the draw-bar and causing some other small damage. The train was entering the "Y" at the time, and it is thought the points were foul. The trucks were neplaced in about an hour.

A re-union of the Prince Edward Islanders residing in Boston will be held on February 17th. At the dinner of the Prince Edward Island Club in the United States Hotel a few evenings ago the principal speakers were D. A. Macdonald, E. W. Doyle and Dr. Johnston.

Mrs. Jane Murphy died at the Government Poor House on Wednesday of last week at the advanced age of 116 years and 9 months. Owen Murphy, her husband, died in the Poor House on the 5th April, 1882, at the age of 90. They were natives of Ireland. Owen was a weaver, and brought his loom from Ireand when he emigrated.

Big clearance sale from January 10th till 22nd, at W. A. Weeks & Co., 20 per cent to half price on all winter goods, Dress Goods, Furs, Ladies Jackets, Cloths, Millinery, etc. Read our big advertisement and if you want goods to and save money, come and have the big discounts. Twelve days big discounts at W. A. Weeks & Co. [Jan 12—2i

The Stanley did not cross from Pictou to Georgetown last Thursday evening as was expected. She crossed Friday forenoon, however, arriving in Georgetown about eleven o'clock. She did not leave for Pictou again till Saturday morning, returning Saturday afternoon.

A terrible colliery disaster occured at Nabos, Germany, by fire in a mine on Monday last. Seven men are dead, and it is feared that twenty-seven others also perished. These latter were, at last accounts, in an unapproachable part of the mine, and it was feared they were burned to death or smothered.

About 8 o'clock on Sunday night last, a stable in the rear of Mr. John O'Conner's house on Grafton Street, near Dodd's medical Hall was destroyed by fire, together with what hay and straw were in it. The origin of the fire is unknown, and there was no insurance.

All the cloth mills at New Bedford, Mass., are shut down in consequence of a strike, resulting from a 1 per cent cut in wages. Nine corporations, owing 18 mills and employing 7000 hands are involved. The total weekly pay roll of these is $70-000.

The New York Herald says that Edison has accidently discovered what he believes to be a new metal, which will do away with the slow and costly process of making malleable iron. Exhaustive experiments will be made, and if they are successful it is promised that full detail will be given to the public.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.

General Statement, December 31st, '97

LIABILITIES.	
Deposits at call	$2,783,606.84
Deposits subject to notice	7,245,622 04
Interest accrued on deposits	144,896.79
Due to other Banks in Canada	153,886.05
Due to other Banks in Foreign Countries	118,116.55
Notes in Circulation	1,320,250.49
Drafts drawn between Head Office and Agencies outstanding	135,318.95
Capital paid up	1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	1,600,000.00
Profit and Loss	26,634.20
Dividend No. 128, payable 1st February, 1898	60,000.00
	$15,088,331 88
ASSETS.	
Specie	274,686 41
Dominion Notes—Legal Tenders	1,008,987.75
Deposits with Dom. Gov't for security of Note Circulation	69,581.00
Due from other Banks in Canada	74,375.74
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	772,296.93
Due from Agencies of the Bank or from other Banks in Foreign Countries	411,872.06
Due from other Banks in the United Kingdom	18,199.86
Investments (Provincial, Municipal and other Bonds)	2,013,935.90
Loans to Provincial Governments	122,944.35
Call Loans, secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	1,027,126.69
Time Loans, secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	499,194.97
Cash Credit Accounts and Secured Overdrafts	193,270.66
Authorized Overdrafts, not specially secured	62,124.20
Notes and Bills, discounted and current..$8,554,766.19	
Less rebate on unmatured notes.....$4.373.01	
	8,470,393.18
Notes and Bills overdue	5,438.66
Real Estate and Mortgages on Real Estate sold	16,246.80
Bank premises, Safes and Office Furniture	47,432 28
Stationery	224.44
	$15,088,331.88
RESERVE FUND.	
1896. Dec. 31. By Balance	$1,500,000.00
1897. Dec 31. By Transferred from Profit and Loss	100,000.00
	$1,600,000.

A porker eight months and six days old was killed by Mr. Joseph McDonald, senior Crapaud, on Wednesday last, that tipped the scales at 416 lbs.

Mrs. Mary Fisher, an old colored woman, was found dead in her house on Sheffield St., St. John, N. B., on Monday last. Death due to natural causes. It is believed she died two days previoualy.

There were wild times in the streets of Paris Monday night. Anti-Dreyfus and anti-semite meetings were held and were captured by the Anarchists. Free fights and broken heads were numerous.

A boating party, consisting of the United States Consul, Ashby Hoffman, the German Consul, Master Mechanic Motland and four others, are supposed to have been drowned at Colon Colombia. The body of the boatman has been recovered.

Two cars of Klondyke dogs, which reached Moncton from Halifax, Saturday, were detained by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals until they were muzzled. Many of the dogs were badly lacerated. Some had their eyes torn out and were nearly dead, having been fighting.

On Saturday last, John D. Chipman was elected to the New Brunswick Legislature, by acclamation, for Charlotte County, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Mr. Mitchell. Mr. Chipman was the selection of both the Liberal and Conservative caucuses. Mr. Chipman is a Conservative; but will support the Emmerson Government, which is a coalition.

DIED.

In this city, on Sunday morning, the 16th inst., William Byrne, aged 46 years. May his soul rest in peace.

At Kildare River, on the 12th inst., of cerebro spinal meningitis, Mary Heela, beloved daughter of Michael and Farlie Fitzsimmons, aged 14 years,

At Lowell, Mass., on the 8th inst., of consumption, induced by a dental operation, Catherine, second daughter of the late John Keefe, of Alberton, aged 48 years. May she rest in peace. Deceased was buried at Alberton on Tuesday last.

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Bridget Lantery, Died Dec. 12th, Was Buried Dec. 14th, 1897.

Under the chill December sky
The wind sighs wearily,
And through the bare and frozen strepts
Dead leaves whirl drearily.

The funeral bell is ringing
In solemn tones and loud,
And in the pro-Cathedral
Is gathering a crowd.

Through the cottage door they bear her,
She who was a friend to all,
And on the bier they lay her,
All shrouded in a pall.

To St. Dunstan's now they bring her,
With reverent friendly hands,
And there to do her honour,
A mitred Bishop stands.

And the priests that she so reverenced,
And the children that she taught,
And the people who esteemed her,
She who held the world as naught.

All came to pray around her,
And to praise the selfless life,
She, once the least among them,
Now a conqueror in the strife.

They gave her every honour,
Then they bore her dust away,
And laid it in God's acre,
To await the judgment day.

The old Church where she laboured
Is now closed and set aside,
I saw its last grand funeral,
When Bridget Lentry died,

And so the order changeth,
And the old has passed away,
And with it many memories
On that dark December day.

Amy Pope Berlinguet.

The Portland Me., Press says: The schooner Lucy W. Dwyer, owned by Charles Guptill, arrived Tuesday after a hard trip. The Dwyer left here about two months ago and went to Prince Edward Island, where she took in a cargo of 3,370 bushels of potatoes, for which 30 cents a bushel was paid. The duty on them is 25 cents a bushel, and potatoes now bring in Portland market from 95 cents to $1 per bushel. Capt. Merill reports that on the second day out from Georgetown the main boom broke, and from that time until Monday he has not had a favorable breeze. He has been four weeks and one day on the return passage.

FIRST OF New Year

Big Clearance Stock-taking Sale.

Beginning Monday, Jan. 10, until 22nd.

Tremendous Discount—Big Reductions in every Department Spot Cash.

Dress Goods, Colored, 20 per cent. off	Our whole Stock of Colored Dress Goods. Fancies, Serges, Cashmeres, Serges, etc., etc. 25 per cent off colored dress goods,
Dress Goods, Black, 20 per cent. off	Choice, from one of the best Black Dress Goods departments in the city. Black Merinoes, Serges, Fancy Blacks and Cravenettes.
Silks, Satins, 25 per cent. off	Black Dress Silks, in Peau de Sois, Bengaline and Gro Grain, 25 per cent. discount. Black Satins, Colored Satins, China Silks, Surahs, Fancy Trimming Silks, etc., etc. 25 per cent discount.
Trimmed Millinery, Half Price.	All Trimmed Hats and Bonnets at Half Price, all flowers, Tips, Asprays, and all Millinery Trimmings, 25 per ct. discount.
Ladies' Jackets Half Price. Capes, 25 per cent. off	All Black and Colored Jackets, all new imported and selected personally by our buyer at Half Price. All Capes, Blacks and Colored, at 25 per cent. discount. Waterproofs, Black and Colored, 20 per cent. discount,
Furs, Furs, Coats, Jackets, Muffs, Collars, Capes, etc., 25 per cent. off	Ladies' Fur Jackets, Men's Fur Coats, all Muffs, Collars and Capes, Gloves, Mitts, and furs at twenty-five per cent. discount.

Special discounts of Ladies' Underwear, Kid and Cashmere Gloves, Corsets, Men's Underwear, Shirts and Collars, Socks, Braces, etc.. etc.

GENUINE REDUCTIONS.

Sale from Jan. 10 till 22nd—Spot Cash—No Samples given.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

CH'TOWN PRICES, JANUARY 18.	
Beef (quarter) per lb	$0.04 to $0.06½
Beef (small) per lb	0.05 to 0.10
Butter, (fresh)	0.18 to 0.20
Butter (tub)	0.16 to 0.17
Cheese, (lb)	0.12 to 0.14
Celery, per bunch	0.05 to 0.00
Chickens	0.25 to 0.30
Cabbage, per head	0.03 to 0.06
Calf skins (trimmed)	0.07 to 0.08
Eggs, per doz	0.20 to 0.22
Flour, per cwt	0.00 to 2.25
Fowls, per pair	0.35 to 0.40
Geese	0.40 to 0·75
Ham, per lb	0.12 to 0.14
Hay, per 100 lbs	0.35 to 0.40
Hides	0.6 to 0.7
Lard	0.10 to 0.12
Lamb skins	0.30 to 0.60
Mutton, per lb	0.06 to 0.08
Mutton, carcass	0.05 to 0.00
Mangles	0 12 to 0.14
Oatmeal (black oats) per cwt	0.00 to 2.00
Oatmeal (white oats) per cwt	0.00 to 2.00
Oats	0.28 to 0.29
Pork carcass	0.4½ to 0.4½
Potatoes	0.22 to 0.25
Sheep pelts	0.70 to 0.90
Straw (per load)	1.35 to 2.50
Turnips	0.10 to 0.12

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session by The Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario for an Act to enable the said Company to carry on business anywhere in the Dominion of Canada, and to consolidate, define and declare its liabilities, obligations and powers, and to carry out the foregoing by incorporating its shareholders as a new company.

Dated at Toronto, Dec. 1st, 1897.

E. T. MALONE,
Solicitor for Applicant.

Dec. 22, 1897—9i

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Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by public Auction on Wednesday, the Nineteenth day of January, A. D. 1898, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the seventh day of November, A. D. 1887, and made between George Harper, of Tignish, Lot or Township Number One, in Prince County, in Prince Edward Island, farmer, and Rebecca Harper, his wife, of the one part, and Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien of the other part; and also by virtue of a power of sale contained in another Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the twenty-seventh day of February, A. D. 1889, and made between the said George Harper and Rebecca Harper, his wife, and Mary Harper of the same place, widow of the late William Harper and mother of the said George Harper on the one part and Credit Foncier Franco Canadien of the other part.

All that piece or parcel of land situate lying and being on Lot or Township Number One, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows that is to say:—Commencing on the west side of the Great Western Road at the angle formed by its junction with a reserved road leading therefrom westwardly known as the Harper's Road; thence following the Great Western Road northeastwardly the distance of twenty-six chains; thence west thirty-two chains; thence north twenty-nine degrees east thirty-six chains; thence south forty-five degrees west sixty-five chains; thence west nine chains; thence south forty-five degrees west seven chains and fifty links to the reserved road, aforesaid; thence east along the said road to the place of commencement, saving and excepting thereout and therefrom all that tract, piece or parcel of land commencing on the southern side of the Mill Pond, at a stake fixed about three chains west from the southern end of the mill dam; thence running southwesterly parallel to the general course of the mill dam one chain and sixty links or to a stake there fixed; thence east (crossing the mill road) six chains and fifty links to a stake fixed as the southeastern angle; thence northeasterly parallel with the mill dam aforesaid ten chains and fifty links to a stake fixed as the northeastern angle; thence west six chains to a stake fixed as the northwestern angle; thence southwesterly to a stake fixed on the northern margin of the mill pond; thence easterly along the same to the dam; thence southerly along the dam and westerly along the southern margin of the pond to the stake at the place of commencement, containing four acres and two roods of land, a little more or less, also free access to said mill pond and the uninterrupted use of the water of the said mill pond for all the purposes connected with said mills now on said land and the right to maintain and raise the same to the level heretofore, accustomed to be raised, for the purpose of working the said mills, the said above described piece of land excepting the reservation therefrom, as aforesaid, containing about one hundred and nineteen acres of land, a little more or less.

If the said property is not sold at the time and place aforesaid the same will thereafter be sold by private sale.

For further particulars apply at the office of Æneas A. McDonald, Solicitor, Charlottetown.

Dated this fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1897.

Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien, Mortgagees.

Dec. 15, 1897—5i

The above sale is postponed until Tuesday the Fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1898, then to take place at the hour and place aforesaid.

Dated this Thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1898.

Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien, Mortgagees.

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LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVE CONFERENCE.

The Annual Meeting of the Liberal Conservative Conference of Prince Edward Island, will be held in the Masonic Temple Building, in Charlottetown, on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, instant, at 11 o'clock a.m. Representatives from all Electoral and Polling Divisions are requested to be present.

C. R. Smallwood, Secretary. D. Ferguson, President.

Dated Jan. 10th, '98.—2i

POSTPONED LOTTERY

The Fort Augustus Lottery is postponed until further notice, on account of the books not having been returned to the Secretary. Date of Lottery will be given in all the weekly newspapers. By order of Assistant Secretary.

PATRICK O'BRIEN,
Dromore, Lot 37.

Jan. 5, 1898—3i

Stray Heifer.

There has been on my premises since July 1st, a young heifer, not marked. The owner can have the same by paying all expenses.

Ronald MacDonald,
Springfield, Lot 67.

January 5th, 1898 —Ja 12 3i.

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